

DIRECT QUOTE (LOG) RUBRIC

For this assignment, you need to demonstrate that you have mastered the following objectives:

- ✓ I can choose direct quotes wisely
- ✓ I can choose use credible sources.
- ✓ I can effectively show credit for the sources I use by using a parenthetical citation after a direct quote.
- ✓ I can gather important bibliographic information for my resources.

RUBRIC FOR THIS ASSIGNMENT:

Quote:	Points Possible	Points Earned
Quote is no longer than 1 sentence.	1	
Quote does not appear as though it will extend beyond 2 lines of text when typed (12 point font, TNR font)	1	
Quote appears to be carefully chosen---doesn't contain "obvious" or otherwise better off summarized or paraphrased information.	1	
Quote does not contain any spelling, punctuation or grammar errors. The student appears to have copied it directly from its original (credible) source.	1	

Parenthetical citation:

The citation is inside parenthesis.	1	
The citation includes the proper source citation for what was available. Book: (author's last name page number). or (author's last name). Web: (author's last name page number.) or (author's last name). or ("Title").	1	
Citation is properly punctuated (no punctuation within parenthesis, but a period after the right parenthesis).	1	

Bibliographic/Works Cited Information:

The title is properly written (italicized/underlined for a book or inside "quotation marks" if it's an article title).	1	
Author's name was written in proper format (last name, first name).	1	
<u>ALL</u> source type information was done thoroughly and completely.	1	
The source's bibliographic information suggests the source is credible and unbiased.	1	

RULES & REMINDERS:

- ✓ You are required to use **at least one** direct quote in your final paper.
- ✓ Your quote should **not be longer than 1 sentence**, and **should not be longer than 2 lines of text** when you type it into Word (12 point font, Times New Roman).
- ✓ You need to include a parenthetical citation after each direct quote (author's last name page number). **Refer to notes on citation for proper formatting.**
- ✓ Your quote should be carefully chosen—only directly quote something that is so "perfectly worded" that you cannot summarize or paraphrase it without losing its usefulness.
 - *i.e.* Don't quote something generic like, "Marco Polo was Italian."
- ✓ The source from which you took your quote needs to later be added to your Works Cited Page!